

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

HB 1933 - SB 2497

February 15, 2018

SUMMARY OF BILL: Decreases, from 90 to 60 days, the amount of time prior to a qualifying deadline that certain nominating petitions can be made available.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- Under current law, pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 2-5-102(b)(5), nominating petitions cannot be issued more than 90 days before the qualifying deadline for the office for which the petition is issued.
- The proposed language would decrease the amount of time all nominating petitions, except those for President of the United States and delegates to the national conventions of all statewide political parties, could be made available to no more than 60 days before the qualifying deadline for the office for which the petition is issued.
- Decreasing the amount of time prior to a qualifying deadline that such petitions are made available by 30 days will not result in any significant fiscal impact to state or local government.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Krista M. Lee".

Krista M. Lee, Executive Director

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